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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

LAWRENCE E. JAFFE PENSION PLAN, On Behalf of Itself and All Others Similarly Situated,) Lead Case No. 02-C-5893 (Consolidated)			
Plaintiffs,				
v.) Hon. Ronald A. Guzman) Magistrate Judge Nan R. Nolan			
HOUSEHOLD INTERNATIONAL, INC., et al.,				
Defendants.	- ()			
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TO: Counsel on Attached Service List

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on July 17, 2003, Defendant Arthur Andresen LLP by and through its attorneys, Mayer, Brown, Rowe & Maw LLP, caused to be filed with the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Unopposed Motion for an Extension of Time for Arthur Andersen LLP to File Reply Memorandum in Support its Motion to Strike and Proposed Order, copies of which are attached and hereby served upon you.

Respectfully submitted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, an attorney, hereby certifies that on July 21, 2003, I caused copies of the foregoing Notice of Filing, Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time for Arthur Andersen LLP to File Reply Memorandum in Support of Motion to Strike and Proposed Order to be served upon the persons on the attached service list by depositing same in the United States mail at 190 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60603 before 5:00 p.m. on the aforementioned date.



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UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR ARTHUR AND TO FILE REPLY MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO STRIKE

Defendant Arthur Andersen LLP ("Andersen") respectfully requests an additional temperature days to file its reply memorandum in support of Andersen's Motion to Strike Paragraphs 30 and 181 of the Complaint ("Motion to Strike"). In support of its motion Andersen states the following:

- 1. On June 19, 2003, plaintiffs served their response to Andersen's Motion to Strike by United States mail from San Francisco, California. Andersen received plaintiffs' responsive papers on or about June 23, 2003.
- 2. Andersen's reply memorandum currently is due on July 21, 2003. Andersen requests an additional ten days, through July 31, 2003, in which to file and serve its reply.
- 3. Andersen has been diligently preparing its reply memorandum since receipt of plaintiffs' responsive materials. However, primary counsel for Andersen, Lucia Nale, is starting her ninth month of pregnancy and therefore has had to transition this case to other counsel. Due

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to the time necessarily associated with this transition, Andersen requests an extension of ten days in which to file and serve its reply.

- 4. While plaintiffs' counsel can make no representation to the Court with respect to Andersen's efforts in preparing its reply brief, in light of the circumstances, plaintiffs will not oppose Andersen's request for a ten day extension of time.
- 5. This matter has not yet been set for argument and the additional ten days therefore would not impact the Court's existing calendar for this cause.

WHEREFORE, defendant Arthur Andersen LLP respectfully requests that this Court grant its motion for an extension of time and permit Andersen to file its reply memorandum on or before July 31, 2003.

Dated: July 21, 2003

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[PROPOSED] ORDER

This matter is before the Court on defendant Arthur Andersen LLP's ("Andersen") Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time for Arthur Andersen LLP to File Reply Memorandum in Support of Motion to Strike. The Court, being fully advised in the premises, hereby ORDERS that Andersen's motion be and hereby is GRANTED. Andersen shall have through July 31, 2003 to file and serve its reply memorandum.

The Honorable Ronald A. Guzman

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